

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

XAVIER BECERRA, in his official capacity
as Secretary of Health and Human Services,
et al.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:22-cv-00113-HSO-RPM

**CONSENT MOTION FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF TIME FOR DEFENDANTS TO
RESPOND TO PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

Defendants respectfully request that their deadline for responding to Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment (ECF No. 78) be further extended from July 26, 2023, to July 28, 2023. The reasons for this motion are set forth further below.

1. Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment was filed on June 9, 2023. Pursuant to Defendants' prior consent motion (ECF No. 80) and the Court's order of June 22, 2023, Defendants' response to this motion is currently due on or before July 26, 2023.

2. Because of the heavy workload being experienced by counsel for Defendants, Defendants need a short extension to finalize their response to the Motion for Summary Judgment, including any cross-motion for summary judgment.

3. Undersigned counsel conferred on July 25, 2023, via email with counsel for Plaintiffs, Cameron Norris, who consented to this extension.

For all these reasons, Defendants respectfully ask the Court to extend their deadline for responding to Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment from July 26, 2023, to July 28, 2023.

Dated: July 25, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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